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- ☐ Continuation; or ☐ Divisional; or ☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP);  
of prior US Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, having U.S. Examiner  
\_\_\_\_\_, in Group Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Of: Zoran Krivokapic

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE**

- ☒ 4 sheets of drawings and 14 pages of specification and claims and one page Abstract.
- ☒ Newly executed oath or declaration combined with Power of Attorney on 2 pages.
- ☒ An Assignment Transmittal Letter and Assignment of the invention to ADVANCED MICRO DEVICES, INC.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), with PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ citation copies.
- ☒ Non-publication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(I).
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (two)
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
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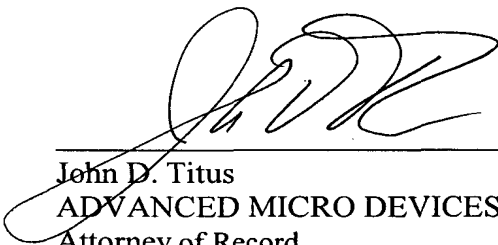
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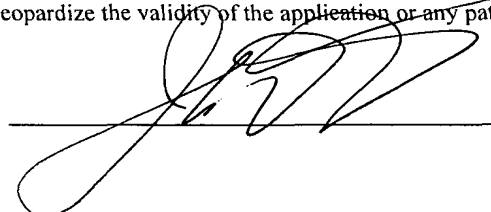
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Title

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